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SUBJECT: FRG POLICE IN BERLIN

REF: (A) USBERLIN 1110; (B) BONN 9256 (NOTAL)

1. NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA DETECTIVE TEAM WHICH ARRESTED MEYER DEVELOPED OUT OF NOVEMBER MEETING OF BUNDES INNENMINISTER KONFERENZ (MEMBERS ARE BERLIN AND FRG LAENDER INTERIOR MINISTERS) AT WHICH DECISION MADE TO CRACK DOWN ON ANARCHIST TERRORISTS THROUGHOUT FRG AND BERLIN. TWO CONCEPTS APPROVED AMONG OTHERS WERE COORDINATED NATION-WIDE UNDERCOVER SURVILLANCE (VERDECKTE FAHNDUNG) AND INTENSIVE PURSUIT BY SPECIAL TEAMS OF DETECTIVES (ZIELFAHNDER), WHO WOULD BE ASSIGNED ONE TARGET EACH. THEY WOULD WORK ON NOTHING ELSE AND WOULD FOLLOW TARGET WHEREEVER HE MIGHT LEAD THEM. BERLIN, ONE OF SMALLER LAENDER BUT WITH LARGE NUMBER OF ANARCHISTS, DESIGNATED FIVE MEN FOR TWO TEAMS AND CHOSE FOR ITSELF MOST IMPORTANT BERLIN TARGETS, RALF REINDERS AND ANGELA LUTHER. NORTH RHINE-WESTPHALIA TEAM WAS ASSIGNED TO TILL MEYER, WHO HAD PREVIOUS CONNECTIONS IN THAT AREA.

2. VERDECKTE FAHNDUNG ORGANIZED IMMEDIATELY, AND MACHINERY TO CREATE ZIELFAHNDER SET IN MOTION FOLLOWING
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NOVEMBER MEETING (PRIOR DRENKMANN ASSASSINATION IN

DECEMBER). ZIELFAHNDER TEAMS ACTIVATED AND ASSIGNED
TARGETS ABOUT APRIL 1, AND MEYER TEAM FIRST VISITED
BERLIN FOR ORIENTATION APRIL 17, THREE WEEKS
AFTER LORENZ KIDNAPPING. THEY WERE NOT PART OF FRG
POLICE REINFORCEMENTS SENT FOR LORENZ INVESTIGATION G-(
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